Cooperative Environmental Assistance BureauIn the Division of Air and Waste

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About us...

We advance environmental protection by promoting innovative, non-regulatory approaches and by providing cross-media, technical and compliance assistance to businesses and specific business sectors.

Innovation and Beyond Compliance

Developing new relationships with businesses that seek to achieve superior environmental performance is our goal. Through the **Environmental Cooperation Pilot Program**, the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and business developed agreements that deliver environmental performance and regulatory flexibility. Businesses can use environmental management systems and public involvement to help build business value. We want to hear your ideas about thinking "outside the box" and relating better to business. Join us in turning "no you can't" into "yes we can".

■Environmental Cooperation Pilot
Program ■ Environmental Results
Program ■ ISO 14000 ■ Environmental
Management Systems

Policy & Issues

Our program works to influence policy development and issue management. We research, develop and introduce pilot programs, voluntary approaches and performance based tools that help achieve and exceed the desired environmental result. The Community Mercury Reduction Program and the Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxins (PBTs) Policy Framework are examples of this work.

Pollution Prevention and Waste Minimization Assistance

DNR's Business sector specialists work with you to create an efficient and effective working relationship between business representatives and DNR. Our purpose is to reduce environmental impacts by making regulations clearer, working to make regulations more flexible and proposing practices that prevent pollution and minimize waste. We use initiatives, partnerships and recognition programs as tools.

■Auto and Scrap Recyclers CCP (Storm Water Cooperative Compliance Program) and Mercury Collection Program ■Dry Cleaners' Partnership and 5 Star Award Program ■Environmental Permit Primer ■Hot Mix Asphalt Environmental Leadership Award ■Pulp and Paper Pollution Prevention Partnership ■P/E/P (Prevention/Environment/Prosperity) Award ■Community Mercury Reduction Program ■ WI/ Department of Defense Pollution Prevention Alliance ■WI Pollution Prevention Partnership Website ■WasteCap WI



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For more information...

Our Bureau's Website: http://dnr.wi.gov/org/caer/cea/

Provides details about our programs, projects and resources.

Wisconsin's Pollution Prevention website: http://wip2.uwex.edu/

DNR, UW-Extension, Department of Commerce and Department of Agriculture have combined their pollution prevention resources at this one site. It contains news, services, publications, contacts, and compliance info.

Fact System: http://dnr.wi.gov/org/caer/cea/fact/

Gives Internet access to information about air emissions, wastewater discharges, and hazardous waste generation in Wisconsin. Go to the DNR homepage, scroll down to "Go to some top topics:" and select "Fact System."

Permit Primer: http://dnr.wi.gov/nermitnrimer/

A tool for small business owners to help determine what environmental permits are necessary for their business.

